

Restoration

eleaning up historical contamination at each of the Air Force's GOCO plants is the Restoration Branch's primary mission. The branch manages the simultaneous cleanup at each of the plants located across the United States under the DoD's comprehensive Installation Restoration Program (IRP). This program identifies, investigates and cleans up former waste sites contaminated from past disposal practices, accidental spills and runoff.



Vacuum Enhanced Pumping station at AFP 4, Fort Worth, Texas.

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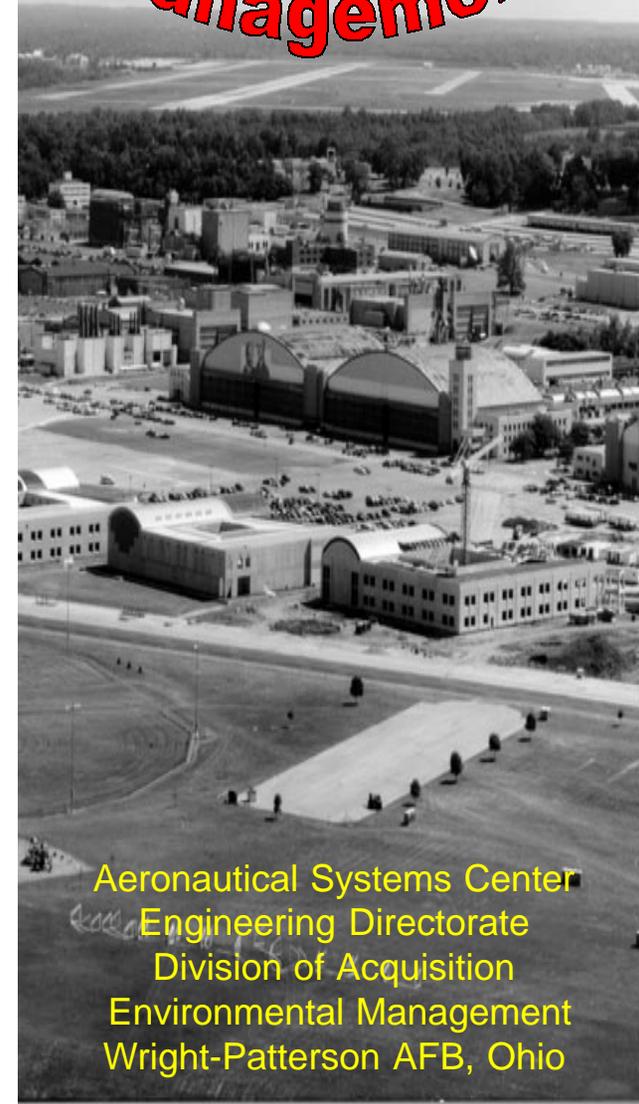
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Headquartered at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base near Dayton, Ohio, the Aeronautical Systems Center (ASC) has served for nearly 40 years as the nation's premier organization for military aeronautics. The birthplace, home and future of aerospace, ASC's mission spans all stages in the research, development and acquisition of aircraft and their related equipment and technologies.

Integral and essential to this mission is the role played by the Acquisition Environmental Management Division of ASC's Engineering Directorate. This division is the winner of the 1998 Pollution Prevention Weapons System Acquisition Team Award. Operating within an ever-changing environment, the organization owns each of the Air



Force's nine industrial plants, valued in excess of \$3 billion. Ownership encompasses supporting Department of Defense (DoD) aircraft and missile production, including environmental pollution prevention, compliance, facility and restoration projects.

In support of the Systems Program Offices (SPOs) and warfighting customers, the organization develops environmental and facility requirements with cost effective, life-cycle solutions for all aeronautical weapon systems. Pollution Prevention, Compliance, Facilities, and Restoration branches form the nucleus of the organization -- united to maintain environmental and facilities leadership and excellence.

Pollution Prevention

The Pollution Prevention Branch provides policy and guidance to the SPOs for infusing pollution prevention initiatives into the weapon systems acquisition process. Pollution Prevention works to



minimize or eliminate the use of hazardous materials and processes in

weapon systems by providing leadership, direction, and training to the SPOs. Branch employees also manage the pollution prevention program for all Government-Owned, Contractor-Operated (GOCO) industrial plants across the country, thereby reducing cleanup requirements and costs.



Compliance

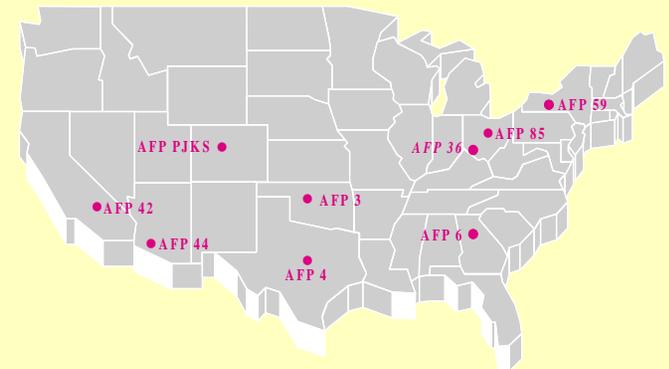
Compliance Branch personnel ensure that operators at each GOCO industrial plant comply with a myriad of state and federal environmental laws, rules and regulations. Compliance also promotes ongoing environmental stewardship at each of the plants, requiring that facilities are operated in an environmentally responsible manner.

Facilities

The Facilities Branch manages established facilities contracts and/or leases for each of the nine GOCO industrial plants. This entails planning for and evaluating facility needs at GOCO plants to ensure that proposed facility actions are consistent with sound engineering practices and result in real property facilities acceptable to the Air Force.

The branch strategically manages a divestiture program (sale or transfer) aimed at minimizing Air Force ownership of industrial plants to comply with DoD policy.

As the primary link between the SPO and major command, branch personnel also articulate new weapon system facility requirements to the warfighting customer. The branch ensures that facility planning and design criteria are developed and properly used to support the programming and construction of facilities. This expertise is needed for the beddown of new systems at test, training, operational, and depot bases across the globe.



Air Force Industrial Plant Locations